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Dow Chemical Plant Ordered Sold By WAA

War Assets Administration officers have posted notice that the government owned Dow Chemical Co. plant here consisting of 105 acres of land, equipped with many Class A industrial buildings is up for sale or lease. The property is located at 20201 South Vermont ave., Torrance.

The buildings and equipment were used in the manufacture of styrene, the main ingredient in synthetic rubber, during the war. Styrene is derived from grain alcohol. The Dow Chemical Corporation manufactured styrene on the premises under contract from the Defense Plant Corporation. Dow turned out 25,000 short tons of styrene annually during the war years. Offers to buy or lease the property must be submitted to the War Assets Administration office at 214 W. Fifth st., Los Angeles. There has been no deadline set by W.A.A. for offers from prospective bidders.

Rabies Warning Issued To Hills Vacationists

Rabies in wild animals in surrounding mountain areas has caused a warning to be issued to dog owners planning camp vacations by C. O. Harvey, chief communicable disease inspector for the Los Angeles county health department. The district ranger in the forest service, Harvey said that in view of rabies in the wild life in the mountainous areas of Los Angeles county, permittees are advised not to take their dogs in the area. Positive analysis of rabies in a captured raccoon and suspicion of rabies in a fox, caused this action, the inspector said. Forest rangers have notified campers in national parks that those dogs already with their campers must be on leash.

TOWNSEND CLUB
A regular meeting of the Torrance Townsend Club will be conducted tomorrow night in the Men's Bible Class building. All members are urged by the local group to attend for refreshments and dancing which follows the meeting. Mrs. Ethelyn Vorhis, secretary, has announced.



MISS TORRANCE OF 1946 . . . Miss Frances Barrington, who won her claim to reign over Torrance festivities several months ago as a result of a contest sponsored by the Junior Women's Club, received her earlier coronation at the club's gala carnival last March. She is to be officially crowned "Miss Torrance of 1946" at the opening of the City Auditorium which will begin at 7:30 p.m. As the City Queen, she will make her grand entry at the opening of the Rodeo in Torrance City Park on the evening of July 3 and also July 4 to start the afternoon's performance. A trained equestrienne, Miss Barrington will make her appearance astride her mount, "Treasure." The pretty young lady will be kept busy during Torrance's five-day Jubilee, riding the float entered by the Junior Women's Club in the big parade here, also with a place of honor during the two-day Air Show. This charming daughter of Mr. and Mrs. H. C. Barrington recently graduated from Torrance high school, and is an ardent participant in all outdoor sports. She was instrumental in securing the Youth Canteen here, and in 1945 was crowned Queen of the Job's Daughters.

New Model Light Planes To Be Seen In Maneuvers During Big Air Show

As a special feature of the Torrance Air Show July 5 and 6, pilots from Cal-Brown Co. and Boggs and McBurney Aircraft Inc., both Southern California, Aeronca and Stinson dealers, will put their new planes through their paces. This demonstration will be of special interest to all private flying enthusiasts because of the remarkable performance of these two new designs. Two new 1946 Stinson 150 Voyagers will participate, as will six Aeronca Champion trainers.

Francis H. Callagy, partner in the firm of Cal-Brown of Central Airport, will fly the Voyager in a daring exhibition of precision aerobatics while flying only a few hundred feet above the ground. Mr. Callagy was for several years a test pilot for Consolidated Vultee Aircraft. Mr. Richard Headrick of Boggs and McBurney Aircraft of Culver City Airport will fly the other Stinson in an amazing demonstration of the plane's ability to take off with practically no run and to climb at a breath-taking angle. Headrick, a former Lt. Colonel in the Air Forces with 83 heavy bombardment missions will put the plane through a series of extremely low speed maneuvers to show its stability, resistance to spins and a landing run of only about three times the length of the airplane. Then pilots from these two companies and from Bantel and Gates Flying Service of the Torrance Community Airport

Delay In Opening County Hospital Here Announced

Opening the Los Angeles County branch general hospital here, scheduled for Monday, has been postponed until July 8, according to Arthur Wills, superintendent of charities, who is in charge of all county welfare institutions.

The 480-bed hospital, located on Carson st. between Normandie and Vermont avenues, was recently taken over by the county when the Army declared it surplus. The hospital was formerly used by the Los Angeles Port of Embarkation. A few cases may be brought to the hospital Monday, it was announced, and the number will be increased as capable help becomes available. Applications for a variety of jobs at the installation are being taken at the hospital office. Positions available range from maintenance men, guards and semi-skilled labor, to dentists, doctors and nurses. Officials said that 180 beds will be reserved for emergency cases from the harbor area. The remaining 300 beds will be occupied by patients to be transferred from the General Hospital.

Six Simple Rules For Happiness Are Revealed

Speaking on the subject "The Road to Happiness," Dr. Russell M. Brougher of Long Beach gave members of the Torrance Rotary Club last Thursday, six simple rules, which Dr. Brougher "guaranteed" would bring happiness to all. They were:

1. Keep in good health.
 2. Form the habit of always looking on the bright side of life.
 3. Accept cheerfully the place in life in which you find yourself each day.
 4. Throw your whole heart and soul into the work you have to do.
 5. Form the habit of doing some little deed of kindness each day.
 6. Have a simple child-like faith in God as your heavenly Father.
- Dr. Brougher is the son of Dr. J. Whitcomb Brougher, celebrated minister and public speaker. He has just been released as chaplain in the U. S. Army. Former Mayor W. H. Tolson arranged the program and introduced the speaker. Wives of Rotarians were guests at the dinner meeting, which honored Mr. and Mrs. Hillman R. Lee, who are leaving soon for Las Vegas, Nev. Nancy Whyte played a group of three piano numbers.

CENTINELA PICNIC
During a recent meeting of the Centinela Valley Jewish Council, Aug. 11 was decided as the date for a group picnic in Torrance City park, where various games and events will be enjoyed. Mrs. Mildred Pagatsky announced. All women of the Jewish faith are urged to join this organization and aid in their many activities. Mrs. Pagatsky said. Further information may be obtained by calling Orchard 7-3286.

MARILYN THOMAS TO RECEIVE KENNY TREATMENT IN L.A.
Marilyn Thomas, teen-age daughter of Mr. and Mrs. C. P. Thomas, 1512 Hickory ave., has been transferred to Orthopedic hospital, Los Angeles, where she is receiving the Kenny treatment for infantile paralysis. Members of the family have been released from quarantine, it is stated.

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Renew Move To Get Academy For This Area

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